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Applicant(s): Shintaro Tsutsui, Susumu Nagano, and Yasushi Katayama

Invention: CONTROL METHOD, CONTROL APPARATUS, DATA RECEIVING AND RECORDING METHOD, DATA RECEIVER AND RECEIVING METHOD

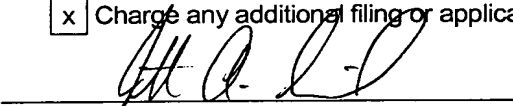
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed June 15, 2005, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.